DOXOLOGY

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God initiates the dialogue by calling us through his

CALL TO WORSHIP*

PSALM 86:8-11

LEADER There is none like you among the gods, O Lord,

nor are there any works like yours.

All the nations you have made shall come

and worship before you, O Lord,

and shall glorify your name.

LEADER For you are great and do wondrous things;

you alone are God.

ALL Teach me your way, O Lord,

that I may walk in your truth; unite my heart to fear your name.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION*

MICAH 7:18-19

ALL Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity

and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance?

He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love.

He will again have compassion on us;

he will tread our iniquities underfoot.

You will cast all our sins

into the depths of the sea.

We respond to God's gracious initiative through corporate prayer and songs of adoration

SONGS OF APPROACH

HOW GREAT THOU ART

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds thy hands have made, I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder, Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul, my Savior, God to Thee; How great Thou art! How great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior, God to Thee; How great Thou art! How great Thou art! And when I think that God, His Son not sparing, Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in, That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing, He bled and died to take away my sin.

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in humble adoration, And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art!

When through the woods and forest glades I wander, And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees, When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur, And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.

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MAN OF SORROWS

Man of sorrows, Lamb of God, By His own betrayed. The sin of man and wrath of God Has been on Jesus laid.

Silent as He stood accused, Beaten, mocked, and scorned, Bowing to the Father's will, He took a crown of thorns.

Oh, that rugged cross, my salvation, Where Your love poured out over me. Now my soul cries out, hallelujah, Praise and honor unto Thee. Sent of heaven, God's own Son, To purchase and redeem, And reconcile the very ones Who nailed Him to that tree.

Now my debt is paid, it is paid in full By the precious blood that my Jesus spilled. Now the curse of sin has no hold on me. Whom the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed!

See the stone is rolled away Behold the empty tomb. Hallelujah! God be praised, He's risen from the grave!

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READING OF THE LAW*

EPHESIANS 4:1-6

As the Lord, Jesus reveals his will for those that belong to his Kingdom. In turn, we recognize our sin and respond with confession

LEADER

I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM

QUESTION 105

LEADER What do we pray for in the fifth petition [of The Lord's Prayer]?

In the fifth petition, which is "And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors," we pray that God, for Christ's sake, would freely pardon all our sins. We are the especially encouraged to ask for this because we are enabled by his grace to forgive others from the heart.

CORPORATE AND INDIVIDUAL CONFESSION

We pray with full confidence that our holy God is merciful to sinners because of Jesus Christ

Heavenly Father, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. Forgive us for holding on to grudges, for seeking revenge instead of reconciliation, and for failing to extend grace to others. Help us to know not only the depths of our sin but also the unsearchable riches of your grace. By your Spirit, give us the strength we need to forgive others and to forbear the everyday grievances of life. Remind us that we have been forgiven through

our Lord Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray, Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON*

ROMANS 8:32-34

We believe that on the cross all our sins--past, present, and future-have been paid for

LEADER

He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

SONG OF THANKSGIVING*

Having received mercy in Christ Jesus, we give thanks to God

GOD, YOU'RE SO GOOD



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PASSING OF THE PEACE*

LEADER

Through Christ, we have received forgiveness for our sins, we now have peace with God and with one another. May the peace of Christ be with you.

ALL And also with you!

We embrace our new family in Christ with the peace Jesus has accomplished by his death and resurrection

TITHES & OFFERINGS

HOLY SPIRIT, LIVING BREATH OF GOD

Holy Spirit, living Breath of God, Breathe new life into my willing soul. Let the presence of the risen Lord Come renew my heart and make me whole. Cause Your word to come alive in me; Give me faith for what I cannot see. Give me passion for Your purity; Holy Spirit breathe new life in me.

Holy Spirit, come abide within; May Your joy be seen in all I do. Love enough to cover ev'ry sin In each thought and deed and attitude. Kindness to the greatest and the least; Gentleness that sows the path of peace; Turn my strivings into works of grace. Breath of God, show Christ in all I do.

Holy Spirit, from creation's birth, Giving life to all that God has made. Show Your power once again on earth, Cause Your church to hunger for Your ways. Let the fragrance of our pray'rs arise; Lead us on the road of sacrifice, That in unity the face of Christ May be clear for all the world to see.

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CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Scan the QR code and submit prayer requests for our church leaders to pray over on Sundays. Confidential requests will not be shared publicly.

We join as a family in prayers of adoration, confession, thanksgiving, and supplication



SCRIPTURE READING*

1 CORINTHIANS 6:1-11

inspired, infallible, and authoritative word, we incline our hearts to hear the reading of Scripture and the proclamation of the gospel with a resolve to obey our risen King

Because the Bible is God's

SERMON

1 CORINTHIANS: REFRAMING LIFE IN LIGHT OF THE CROSS

REFRAMING JUSTICE: RESOLVING CONFLICT WITHIN THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S SUPPER

1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-26

The Lord's Supper is a sacrament instituted by God and to be shared only by baptized believers who are members in good standing of

For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, "This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way also he took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

*we use gluten-free bread for the Lord's Supper

SONG OF FAITH*

O CHURCH, ARISE (ARISE, SHINE)

Having received instruction and blessing, we commit to proclaim the hope of eternal life and pursue philanthropy

O Church, arise and put your armor on; Hear the call of Christ our Captain. For now the weak can say that they are strong In the strength that God has given. With shield of faith and belt of Truth, We'll stand against the devil's lies; An army bold whose battle cry is "Love!" Reaching out to those in darkness.

Our call to war: to love the captive soul, But to rage against the captor. And with the sword that makes The wounded whole. We will fight with faith and valor. When faced with trials on ev'ry side, We know the outcome is secure, And Christ will have the prize for which He died: When with Christ we stand in Glory. An inheritance of nations.

Come see the cross where love and mercy meet, As the Son of God is stricken: Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet. For the Conqueror has risen! And as the stone is rolled away And Christ emerges from his grave, This victory march continues 'til the day Every eye and heart shall see Him.

So Spirit, come, put strength in every stride, Give grace for every hurdle, That we may run with faith to win the prize Of a servant good and faithful. As saints of old still line the way. Retelling triumphs of His grace, We hear their calls and hunger for the day

Arise, shine, for your Light has come. Arise, shine, for the risen Son. Lift your eyes, we are His radiant bride. Arise, O Church, arise.

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him all creatures here below:

Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

We give glory to God who is the source of every blessing

BENEDICTION*

2 CORINTHIANS 13:14

LEADER The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the

fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Amen. Thanks be to God! ALL

NEW?

Get connected and learn more about us by letting us know who you are. Scan the QR code to fill out our newcomer card and we'll be in touch!

Finally, as God initiated the dialogue of worship, so now he concludes our time together by sending us out with a word of blessing so that we might be a blessing

